

## PECULIAR

### Action of Republican Members of Board.

Commissioners McMillen and Crisp Object to a Trifling Change.

There are some very peculiar inconsistencies noticeable in the deliberations of the Board of City Commissioners.

The following serves as an instance to illustrate the truth of the above. Recently the Robinson Bros. company asked that a portion of N. Forge street be vacated. This would benefit that corporation by giving it improved shipping facilities. The Republican members of the Board, Crisp and McMillen were agreeable. Again they did not oppose the vacation of a portion of Factory street.

Today Mr. J. R. Nutt, representing the Hamilton Building company, called on the Board and asked for authority to make a slight change in the Mill st. curb line to accommodate the plans for the splendid new Hamilton building. These changes have heretofore been allowed without any discussion. For some reason however, Crisp and McMillen, objected to the change. The first named voted against it. McMillen refused to go on record in the matter. The motion was lost. Judge Stuart had a long conference with McMillen later. That commissioner then announced that he would vote to approve an ordinance authorizing the change. The exchange for the Akron People's Telephone Company is to be located in the new building. If the Republican members of the Board refuse to allow the change in the curb line it would delay the construction of the building until the plans could be altered.

To introduce our men's and boy's shoes we will make special low prices on them Saturday.

Greenwood Bros., Star Clothing House, Akron, O.

### Happy Surprise.

Tip Top hall on Main st. was the scene of a pleasant gathering of the Maccabees Thursday night. It was a regular meeting night and two candidates were initiated. In addition to regular business there was a surprise on Dr. Wm. A. Sackett.

Dr. Sackett was presented with a fine gold watch, the presentation speech being made by Grand Commander H. M. Parker, of Elgin. About 300 Maccabees were present, many being from Kent, Sharon, Cuyahoga Falls and other surrounding towns. A fine banquet was served and the evening spent in general sociability. The affair was arranged by Mr. W. L. Matteson.

You ought to see the boys shoes we are selling for 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Greenwood Bros., Star Clothing House, Akron, O.

## P. H. Schneider Co.

Largest Exclusive Dry Goods Store in Akron.

Money Saving Arguments for Saturday Buyers..

Golf Capes

Choice line of samples, big reductions.

Dress Goods

We are offering some bargains you cannot afford to miss.

Underwear

50c men's bro. derby rib at . . . . . 35c  
50c men's fleeced extra heavy at . . . . . 39c  
35c ladies' rib, splendid at . . . . . 25c  
Elegant assortment of splendid values all along the line.

Domestics

Special values in Flannelette, Tennis Flannels, etc., Muslin in all qualities at less than mills are now getting for them.

Now is the time to buy your Cotton Goods. We bought heavy early and are going to give our customers the benefits.

We want your trade and are willing to make it an object to trade with us.

P. H. Schneider Co.

156 and 157 South Howard street.

## INTERESTING

### Saturday Shoppers.

Bed Spreads, extra value 85c, \$1  
Bleached Table Linen, with napkins to match 50, 60, 75c  
Domet Flannel . . . . . 5c  
Tennis Flannel . . . . . 6c and 8c  
Yard wide Percales, dark 7c  
BATH MATS—SOMETHING NEW.  
Ladies' Jersey Underwear . . . . . 25c  
Gent's Fleece Lined Underwear . . . . . 50c

## The Upham-Brouse Co.

### Special Sale

For One Week

Began Monday Morning, October 30th, to Monday Nov. 6th.

J. J. Brasaemle's Mammoth 5c and 10c Store  
"The Big Store of Little Prices."

Offers today another indisputable combination of bargain values—another undoubted week of exceptional value giving. The prices we are quoting today are unusual—compare them with other quotations and judge for yourself.

4 quart tin pails . . . . .	only 5c
Tin pot covers . . . . .	only 3c
4 quart milk crock . . . . .	only 5c
1 quart milk crock . . . . .	only 3c
White dinner plates . . . . .	only 3c
Cups and saucers, with handles, per set . . . . .	only 29c
6 quart granite pans . . . . .	only 10c
4 quart granite preserving kettle . . . . .	only 10c
4 quart granite sauce pans . . . . .	only 10c
Large granite wash basin . . . . .	only 10c
Gold dust . . . . .	only 3c
Large wash boards . . . . .	only 10c
12 bars P.R.S. soap . . . . .	only 25c
6 foot stepladders . . . . .	only 37c
100 piece decorated dinner sets . . . . .	only \$5.62
12 piece chamber sets . . . . .	only \$1.79

J. J. BRASAEMLE'S 5c & 10c Store

P. R. Smith's Old Stand

Telephone 138

119 SOUTH HOWARD ST., Akron, O.

## REASONS

Why Mayor Young

Would Not Reappoint Commissioner Paige.

Did Not Support the Party's Policies

In Matters Touching Interest of the People.

What Mayor Young Said in Turner Hall Speech.

At the Turner hall meeting Wednesday night, Mayor Young, in his speech, which was devoted exclusively to city issues, explained to the Fourth ward Democrats why he had refused to consent to Mr. Paige's reappointment as a member of the Board of City Commissioners. Among other things the Mayor said: "Until within two or three weeks of last election I never entertained an idea of opposing Mr. Paige's reappointment. Our relations were of the most friendly character and I was more than satisfied with Mr. Paige's official conduct."

"I had," said the Mayor, "at no time attempted to dictate the course which any of the City Commissioners should follow with reference to their official transactions. True, I had frequently consulted with Messrs. Paige and McGarry, the two members of the Board who belonged to the same political party with myself, as to whether this or that course would be for the best interests of the city at large or would redound to the credit and advantage of the party which we represented."

renewal of its franchise. Messrs. Paige, McGarry and myself held a consultation in regard to this matter.

"I said to them, that I was not opposed to granting the Street Railway company what it asked, providing it gave the city a proper equivalent; that as its property had been appraised by a board of its own choosing, at the sum of \$932,000, \$432,000 of which the appraisers said represented the company's tangible property, that which cost it dollars and cents; and \$500,000 represented its franchises, that which had been given it by the city—I thought the company ought to, in consideration of the renewal of its franchises so that they all would expire in twenty-five years from date, agree to pay the entire cost of repaving East Market st., to sell six tickets for 25 cents and 25 for \$1.00, good for all hours of the day, and eight tickets for a quarter, good between the hours of five and seven in the morning and five and seven in the evening; and school children's tickets ten for a quarter."

"I realized that East Market street needed improving; that about all the company had left there were two streaks of rust and its right-of-way, but I felt that the improvement of East Market street was more of a necessity to the Street Railway company than to the public at large, because the condition of its tracks was knocking its rolling stock to pieces and fast destroying the value of its tangible property. That the company should pay the entire cost of repaving East Market street was based upon the fact that the residents of the street had in one generation paid for two pavements and that they were compelled to do this largely because the Street Railway had, by continually tearing up these pavements, ruined and destroyed them."

"Messrs. Paige and McGarry said they would submit these propositions to the company and in case it refused to concede them or if they submitted counter propositions, before any action was taken by the Board, we would again consult regarding the matter."

"Imagine my surprise in picking up the evening's paper to find that the Commissioners, by a vote of three to one, had granted the Street Railway company an extension of its franchise and agreed to the improving of East Market st. without securing scarcely any of the concessions for which Messrs. Paige and McGarry said they would ask."

"I afterward asked Mr. Paige why this had been done and he said that he supposed I knew that the matter was to be acted upon and that he had forgotten the promise he had made to me."

"I can scarcely understand how I could have known that the matter was coming up. At noon of the day on which the Commissioners recommended the renewal, I met one of the members of the Board and asked him if anything had been done and he said, 'No.'"

"On the afternoon of that day, the representatives of the company met the Commissioners and closed up the deal within a very few minutes. At the same time there was pending."

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Remember auction sale of building lots, H. S. Falor allotment, South Main st., next Saturday, Nov. 4th, 2 to 3 o'clock p.m. May be last chance for such bargains. A. E. Kling, Assignee.

### COURTS.

#### Dividend Declared.

J. Ben Campbell, receiver of the J. C. McNeil company, has asked the court for authority to pay creditors a dividend of ten per cent. He has a fund of \$10,000 on hand, aside from the amount necessary for running expenses. He also asks for an order to pay C. L. Douglas et al, royalties amounting to \$383.75. S. H. Kohler, special master commissioner, has examined the receiver's report and pronounced it correct.

#### Demurrer.

The defendant in the case of Ernest E. vs. E. A. Pfeuger has filed a demurrer to the plaintiff's petition. He says there are no allegations that the plaintiff is still engaged in the same business, hence there can be no inference that the defendant's conduct harms him. There is no averment that the defendant is engaged in a like business or threatens to engage in a like business.

#### Asks For Receiver.

James Brown has filed a petition asking that a receiver be appointed to take charge of shares of stock of the National Tube Company. He says that A. T. Paige gave him an interest in 56 shares of stock of the Ohio Tube Company as security for a loan of \$2,618.88. Other parties claim an interest in the stock. The company has sold out to the trust and new stock is to be issued. He wants a receiver to take charge of it until his interest is determined.

#### Continued.

The injunction in the case of the Akron & Cuyahoga Falls Rapid Transit company vs. the Barberton council has been continued to November 6.

#### Marriage Licenses.

Albert Boak, Akron . . . . . 26  
Lizzie Smith, Akron . . . . . 22

#### THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow this afternoon; fair tonight; colder in central and east portion; fair and cold Saturday.

## M. O'NEIL & CO.

Complete and Extensive

Line of...

# Ladies' Cloaks

AND....

# Furs...

... OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ...

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## EIGHT UPRIGHT PIANOS

Slightly used. Must be sold at once. Call Saturday if you want a bargain.

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### ARTISTIC NEEDLEWORK

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## Paris Exposition

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### GOOD WEBBER SQUARE

\$100

Good Oak Case, Upright Piano

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Easy payments.

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Barney McDermott, Prop.  
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# J. Koch & Co. Take Another Step Upward on the Ladder of Enterprise, to Make Their Store Greater Than Ever.

This time we have rented the largest and finest store in the city, occupying, when completed, the first floor and basement of the new six story fire proof Hamilton Building, 70x88 feet, corner Main and Mill streets, opposite Hotel Buchtel, increasing our floor space to 15,000 square feet; and as we do not intend to move any of our present stock into the new store we have inaugurated

## A STUPENDOUS REMOVAL SALE

—AND HAVE APPLIED—

## ..THE TORCH OF REDUCTION..

To every department and to every garment of our establishment, burning profits to the very edge.

It's not necessary for you to travel the dangers of Chilcote Pass to gain wealth; just pass through our front door and make money by saving it in purchasing your winter clothing right now during

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## J. Koch & Co.